



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor Application of:  
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For: IMPROVED MONITORING AND  
CONTROL OF PROCESSES FOR  
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO  
OFFICE ACTION MAILED ON SEPTEMBER 24, 2003**

Applicant hereby requests a three month extension in the statutory period for response to the Office Action from December 24, 2003 to February 24, 2004 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the requisite fee of \$770.00, and \$950.00 for a three-month extension of time, plus any additional fees which may be required, to the credit card listed on the attached PTO-2038. However, if the PTO-2038 is missing, if the amount listed thereon is insufficient, or if the amount is unable to be charged to the credit card for any other reason, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 06-1315; Order No. CPCM:0008/FLE (33938US).

In response to the Official Action mailed on September 24, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows: